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**IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of

Jean-Luc CLEMENT et al.                      Conf. 1461

Application No. 10/561,915                      Group 3733

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VERTEBRAL OSTEOSYNTHESIS EQUIPMENT

**AMENDMENT**

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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June 18, 2010

Sir:

In response to the non-final Office Action mailed February 18, 2010, for which the period for response has been extended one month, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 10 of this paper.